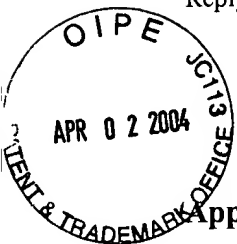


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/937,668 )  
Applicants : Bernd ECKARDT et al. ) TC/A.U. : 1754  
Filed : September 28, 2001 ) Examiner : Wayne A. LANGEL  
Title : RECOMBINATION DEVICE AND )  
METHOD FOR CATALYTICALLY )  
RECOMBINING HYDROGEN AND/OR ) Docket No. : 32325-174523  
CARBON MONOXIDE WITH OXYGEN )  
IN A GASEOUS MIXTURE ) Customer No. \*26694\*  
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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of January 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Additions of headings and Amendments to the Disclosure** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

Should any additional fee be required, please charge the same to deposit account number 22-0261 and notify the Applicants' attorney.